

California Regional Water Quality Control Board - Santa Ana Region

Resolution Number R8-2021-0076

Resolution of Appreciation

for

Daniel Selmi

Whereas:

Daniel Selmi ably served as a Member of the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region (Santa Ana Water Board) from December 2016 through October 2021, having been appointed by Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr.; and

Daniel Selmi played a critical role in the Board's major accomplishments during his tenure, including, but not limited to, adoption of the Newport Bay Watershed Selenium Total Maximum Daily Loads, the Human Right to Water Resolution, the Quail Valley Septic System Prohibition Modification, and the Huntington Beach Desalination Facility Permit; and

Daniel Selmi's leadership on the Santa Ana Water Board resulted in fair and equitable enforcement actions, including adoption of a Cleanup and Abatement Order for United El Segundo, Inc. and My Montecito, Inc. and Administrative Civil Liability Orders for K&G Ready Mix, Inc., Los Alamitos Race Course, and Cham-Cal Engineering Company, as well as oversight of the wastewater treatment plant expansion and upgrades mandated for the City of Beaumont; and

Daniel Selmi's expertise in environmental law provided a strong foundation for the legal and regulatory actions taken to address water quality and human right to water issues; and

Daniel Selmi was an engaged Member of the Santa Ana Water Board who generously gave his time and talent to support Board activities and created a culture of mutual respect in which collaboration with stakeholders was able to flourish; and

Daniel Selmi's extensive knowledge of regional water affairs, acute analytical abilities, keen insight into water quality matters, and contributions during his tenure on the Santa Ana Water Board have benefited residents of the Santa Ana Region and will continue to do so long into the future.

Therefore, the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region, hereby adopts Resolution Number R8-2021-0076 and resolves to:

Commend Daniel Selmi for his service as a Member of the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region, from 2016 through 2021, and

Wish the best for Daniel Selmi in his future endeavors.

Lana Ong Peterson
Chair

Jayne Joy
Executive Officer